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PART IV.

OFFICIAL PAPERS.

Season Report for the Week ending with the 24th Saturday in 1907 (15th June 1907).

	District and Station.	Rainfall up to 8 A.M. on Saturday. This week.		Last ten years' average for the corresponding week.		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1907. This year.		Average of past ten years.		Excess (+) or defect(—) of column 4 compared with column 5.		Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains.			
1		2		3		4		5		6		7			
		I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		This week.	Past week.	Past ten years' fortnightly average.
													Seers.	Seers.	Seers.
BANGALORE.	Bangalore C. & M. Station	...	...	...	...	4	56	...	...	..	..				
	„ City & Taluk	...	...	1	16	11	10	8	33	+ 2	77				
	Hoskote	...	...	...	52	10	4	7	28	+ 2	76				
	Dodballapur	...	...	...	65	6	68	7	92	— 1	24				
	Nelamangala	...	...	...	45	8	78	7	8	+ 1	70	Rice, 2nd sort.	7·00	7·00	9·04
	Kankanhalli	..	8	...	37	10	17	8	99	+ 1	18				
	Magadi	...	...	...	31	18	8	6	12	+ 1	96	Ragi	15·00	15·00	19·33
	Channapatna	...	10	...	33	13	82	7	92	+ 5	90	Kulthi	12·00	12·00	...
	Anekal	...	3	...	76	12	63	10	6	+ 2	57	Kadale	9·00	9·00	10·34
	Devanhalli	...	...	...	45	9	75	7	31	+ 2	44				
	Closepet	...	12	...	26	15	41	8	31	+ 7	10				
	District average...	...	3	...	53	11	65	7	93	+ 3	71				
KOLAR.	Kolar	...	6	...	57	11	29	6	13	+ 5	16				
	Bowringpet	...	...	...	30	7	43	6	75	+ 0	68				
	Chintamani	1	91	...	56	9	25	5	67	+ 3	58	Rice, 2nd sort.	7·00	7·00	9·05
	Mulbagal	...	...	...	48	12	17	6	23	+ 5	94				
	Sidlaghatta	...	...	...	38	9	8	6	44	+ 2	64	Ragi	17·00	17·00	22·80
	Chikballapur	...	...	...	68	8	69	8	36	+ 0	33	Kulthi	15·00	15·00	...
	Bagepalli	...	18	1	10	7	67	4	13	+ 3	54	Kadale	9·00	9·00	9·20
	Goribidnur	...	...	...	68	5	85	5	33	+ 0	52				
	Malur	...	29	...	47	9	79	7	42	+ 2	37				
	Srinivaspur	...	30	..	36	7	96	6	75	+ 1	21				
	Gudibanda	1	35	..	71	7	86	4	81	+ 3	5				
	District average...	...	37	...	57	8	82	6	18	+ 2	64				
TUMKUR.	Tumkur	...	7	..	97	8	21	7	74	+ 0	47				
	Maddagiri	...	...	...	66	4	63	4	87	— 0	24				
	Chiknayakanhalli	..	...	...	92	6	5	7	92	— 1	87	Rice, 2nd sort.	8·50	8·50	9·20
	Sira	...	...	...	88	3	94	5	30	— 1	36				
	Gubbi	...	21	...	57	7	87	6	23	+ 1	64	Ragi	18·00	18·00	25·40
	Tiptur	...	90	...	42	6	84	7	34	— 0	50	Kulthi	16·00	16·00	...
	Pavagada	...	...	...	95	2	96	4	79	— 1	88	Kadale	9·00	9·00	9·27
	Kunigal	...	...	...	68	10	47	6	65	+ 3	82				
	Koratagere	...	...	...	61	7	21	5	63	+ 1	58				
	Turuvekere	...	30	...	28	5	45	6	51	— 1	6				
	District average...	...	15	...	69	6	36	6	30	+ 0	6				

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1		2		3		4		5		6		7			
		I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		This week	Past week.	Past ten years' fortnightly average.
MYSORE.	Mysore ...	...	18	...	19	9	86	10	12	—	0 26		Seers.	Seers.	Seers.
	Chamrajnagar ...	...	..	...	33	9	23	10	76	—	1 53				
	Seringapatam ...	...	28	...	27	12	8	7	86	+	4 22	Rice, 2nd sort.	7·50	7·50	9·79
	Hunsur ...	...	79	...	70	9	76	10	18	—	0 42				
	Yedatore ..	...	25	...	50	9	41	8	26	+	1 15	Ragi	15·75	15·25	19·84
	Heggaddevankote ...	...	35	1	1	9	14	9	26	—	0 12	Kulthi	15·50	15·00	...
	Gundlupet ...	...	10	...	20	13	32	8	35	+	4 97	Kadale	9·25	9·25	10·15
	Nanjangud ...	...	..	...	44	10	80	8	66	+	2 14				
	T.-Narsipur ..	...	29	...	89	8	21	9	38	—	1 17				
	Malvalli ..	...	...	...	33	7	62	7	36	+	0 26				
	Mandya ..	...	...	...	25	13	86	7	63	+	6 23				
	Krishnarajpete ..	...	60	...	36	9	...	8	59	+	0 41				
	Nagamangala ...	...	28	...	14	8	79	5	23	+	3 56				
	District average...	...	24	...	43	10	8	8	59	+	1 49				
HASSAN.	Hassan ...	...	99	1	29	10	10	9	8	+	1 2				
	Manjarabad (Saklespur)	2	35	5	36	9	75	14	...	—	4 25				
	Arkalgud ..	...	40	...	92	5	21	8	92	—	3 71				
	Belur ...	...	93	1	84	7	59	10	29	—	2 41	Rice, 2nd sort.	9·50	9·50	10·26
	Channarayapatna ...	...	7	...	44	5	49	8	12	—	2 63				
	Arsikere ...	...	30	...	50	5	23	7	49	—	2 26	Ragi	20·00	20·00	22·26
	Hole-Narsipur ...	...	43	...	54	8	48	8	13	+	0 35	Kulthi	14·00	14·50	...
	Alur ..	1	53	1	69	11	55	9	49	+	2 6	Kadale	8·50	8·50	9·50
	District average...	1	...	1	57	7	92	9	44	—	1 52				
SHIMOGA.	Shimoga ...	...	25	1	97	4	85	8	35	—	3 50				
	Channagiri ...	...	4	1	27	4	40	6	65	—	2 25	Rice, 2nd sort.	9·00	8·50	10·50
	Honnali ..	...	..	...	63	3	4	7	47	—	4 43				
	Shikarpur ...	1	40	1	65	7	38	7	18	+	0 20	Ragi	18·00	18·00	24·86
	Sorab ...	1	57	4	8	5	76	8	28	—	2 52	Kulthi	13·10	13·10	...
	Sagar ...	3	29	4	83	7	85	10	57	—	2 72				
	Nagar (Kallurkatte) ..	3	65	7	19	9	49	11	28	—	1 79				
	Tirthahalli ...	2	6	6	74	7	28	12	51	—	5 23				
	Kumsi ...	...	41	2	93	7	...	8	71	—	1 71				
	District average...	1	41	3	48	6	34	9	...	—	2 66				
KADUR*.	Chikmagalur .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...				
	Kadur ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Rice, 2nd sort	...	...	...
	Tarikere ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...				
	Koppa .	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Ragi	...	...	...
	Mudgere ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	Kulthi	...	...	...
	Yedahalli ...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Kadale	...	...	...
	Sringeri ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...				
	District average...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...				
CHITALDRUG	Chitaldrug ...	...	...	1	24	3	95	5	91	—	1 96				
	Challakere ...	3	74	...	76	5	98	4	19	+	1 79	Rice, 2nd sort	8·00	8·00	10·20
	Hiriyur ..	...	10	..	92	6	94	5	63	+	1 31				
	Holalkere ...	...	15	1	5	7	35	6	50	+	0 85	Ragi	21·00	20·00	24·10
	Davangere ..		25	1	7	3	45	7	3	—	3 58	Kulthi	14·00	14·00	...
	Molakalmuru ...	...	38	...	78	4	7	5	53	—	1 46	Kadale	10·00	10·00	10·00
	Jagalur ..	...	...	1	4	2	78	6	63	—	3 85	Cholum	18·00	18·00	21·30
	Hosdurga ..	...	14	1	6	5	7	5	63	+	0 61				
	Harihar ..	...	85	...	50	3	78	5	80	—	2 2				
	District average...	...	73	..	94	4	81	5	88	—	1 7				
	†Provincial average ...	...	56	1	17	7	99	7	62	+	0 88				

* Report not received.
† Average of 7 districts only excepting Kadur District.

Note.—Rice (husked)—Oryza Sativa.
Ragi—Elensine Coracana.
Kulthi—(Horse gram) Do ichos Biflorus.
Cholum—Sorghum Vulgare.
Kadale—(Bengal gram) Ciser Arietinum.

DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.
9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.
10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.
11. Public health.
12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

	Average during the past five years of the corresponding week.	*Current.*	
Prices of food grains—Rice	... 7	6 to 6¾	seers per rupee.
Ragi	... 20	14 to 15	

Agricultural operations.—Fields are being ploughed.
Cattle are in good condition. Water and fodder sufficient.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market well supplied.
9. *Agricultural operations.*—There has been neither sowing nor reaping during the week. Ploughing was continued in some parts of the district.
Standing crops are in good condition.
10. Prospects of the season good. Food grains sufficient.
11. Except for cholera reported to prevail in some villages of the Anekal Taluk and Closepet Town, public health generally good.
12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder available.

KOLAR.

8. Market well supplied.
9. *Agricultural operation.*—Ploughing is being continued.
State of standing crops.—Reported to be in good condition.
Crops sown.—Samè in parts of Chintamani; sajje and haraka in Mulbagal; Kartika paddy in the Mulbagal and Chikballapur Taluks; and ragi in parts of the Chikballapur Taluk.
Crops harvested.—Vaisakhi paddy in all the taluks, except Bowringpet, Chintamani and Goribidnur; and sugar-cane in the Kolar Taluk.
Probable outturn.—Vaisakhi paddy, from 6 to 12 annas and sugar-cane 12 annas.
10. Prospects of the season good. Food stuffs available.
11. Except for a few sporadic cases of plague in Robertsonpet and Ooregum of the Bowringpet Taluk, cholera in Masti of the Malur Taluk, and small-pox in some parts of the Kolar Taluk, public health generally good.
12. Cattle healthy except in some parts of the Mandical hobli of the Chikballapur Taluk, were cattle disease called "ಚಪ್ಪೆರೋಗ" ("Black quarter") is reported to be prevailing. Water and fodder available.

TUMKUR.

8. Market well supplied.
9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing and sowing are in progress in all the taluks of the district.
State of standing crops.—Good.
Crops sown.—Paddy in Sira; ragi in Pavagada; sugar-cane in Kunigal and Koratagere; black and green grams in Tiptur; and til in Sira and Tiptur.
Crops harvested.—Paddy in Tumkur, Maddagiri, Chiknayakanhalli, Tiptur, Pavagada and Koratagere; and sugar-cane in Kunigal and Turuvekere.
10. Prospects of the season good. Food stuffs available.
11. Public health good.
12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder available.

MYSORE.

8. Market well supplied.
9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands in parts of the Gundlupet, Nanjangud, Malvalli and Krishnarajpete Taluks are being ploughed and made ready for sowing "Hain" crops.
Standing crops.—Such as cholum, sugar-cane, kar-paddy, castor, togari, til, etc., are reported to be good in all the taluks.
Crops sown.—Paddy in parts of the Seringapatam, Yedatore and Nanjangud Taluks.
Crops harvested.—Black and green grams sown in wet lands in parts of Seringapatam; ragi in parts of Yedatore; sugar-cane is being milled and made into jaggory in parts of the Malvalli Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season good. More rain is wanted in parts of the Nanjangud and Mandya Taluks. Raiyats and merchants are reported to have sufficient stock of food grains.

11. Except for cholera, still prevailing in parts of the Gundlupet and Nagamangala Taluks, public health good.

12. Condition of cattle reported to be good in all the taluks. Water and fodder available.

HASSAN.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Sugar-cane, ragi, togari, gingelly and cholum in the Hassan and Hole-Narsipur Taluks; paddy and ragi in the taluks of Manjarabad, Arkalgud, Belur, Channarayapatna, Arsikere and in the sub-taluk of Alur, are reported to be in good condition.

More rain is wanted for gingelly, cholum and coriander in the Channarayapatna and Arsikere Taluks and for paddy in the Alur Sub-Taluk.

Crop sown.—Chillies in the Arsikere Taluk and sugar-cane in the Channarayapatna Taluk.

Crop harvested.—Sugar-cane is being milled in the Channarayapatna Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season fair. More rain is required in the Channarayapatna and Arsikere Taluks. Stock of food stuffs sufficient.

11. Public health generally good, but cholera in parts of the Hassan and Hole-Narsipur Taluks, small-pox, ague and dysentery in the Manjarabad Taluk, and dysentery and ague in the Channarayapatna Taluk, are reported to be prevalent.

12. Cattle generally in good condition. Water and fodder available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing operations are going on in the Sagar and Nagar Taluks.

Standing crops.—Sugar-cane in the Shimoga, Channagiri, Shikarpur and Sagar Taluks and the Kumsi Sub-Taluk; paddy in the Sorab Taluk and the Kumsi Sub-Taluk and kar-paddy in the Karur and Bharangi hoblis of the Sagar Taluk; are in good condition.

Crops sown.—Sowing of gingelly is in progress in the Honnali Taluk; paddy and cholum in some portions of the Channagiri Taluk, and paddy in the Shikarpur, Sagar and Tirthahalli Taluks, have been sown.

10. Prospects of the season good. Food stuffs available in sufficient quantities.

11. Public health generally good. But for small-pox, prevailing in the Channagiri, Honnali, Shikarpur and Nagar Taluks.

12. Cattle healthy. But murrain in a mild form prevails in the Sagar Taluk. Fodder and pasture available.

* KADUR.

* Report not received.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *State of standing crops.*—Sugar-cane and paddy are reported to be good in the Chitaldrug and Davangere Taluks.

Crops sown.—Cholum and castor oil seeds in the Hiriyur, Holalkere and Jagalur Taluks, and sessamum in the Hiriyur and Jagalur Taluks and the Harihar Sub-Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Nil.

10. Prospects of the season good. Food stuffs available.

11. Public health good.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder available.

BANGALORE,
19*th June* 1907.

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